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## MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Conversation with Representative Melvin Price
Re Enhanced Role of the DCI

Briefed Representative Price on the above subject. He asked a number of questions about how the arrangements would differ from the present practices and I explained to him that most of these questions could not be answered at this stage. Mr. Price foresaw a number of questions in the Congress and elsewhere about the significance of the new arrangements and I told him we would try to keep him and his colleagues up-to-date on developments and rely on their assistance in reassuring the membership that the new arrangements represented no radical departure from existing practices which had been worked out over the years and which had proved generally satisfactory.

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